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Sir:

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The documents listed on Form PTO-1449 were cited in an Office Action mailed June 19, 2007, copy attached, in a corresponding Japanese application. U.S. Patent No. 4,307,930 is the English-language equivalent of Japanese Patent Application 55-111917 cited in the Office Action. The remaining documents cited in the Office Action have been previously submitted.

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